

Tegem language

Tegem, also *Jebel Tekeim*, is a Niger–Congo language spoken in Kordofan, Sudan. It is sometimes considered a dialect of Lafofa, which is poorly attested.

References

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Tegem	
<i>Jebel Tekeim</i>	
Region	Nuba Hills, Sudan
Ethnicity	Lafofa
Native speakers	(5,100 all Lalofa cited 1984) ^[1]
Language family	Niger–Congo <ul style="list-style-type: none">Atlantic–Congo<ul style="list-style-type: none">Lafofa<ul style="list-style-type: none">Tegem
Language codes	
ISO 639-3	(included in laf (https://www.ethnologue.com/language/laf))
Glottolog	jebe1249 (http://glottolog.org/resource/languoid/id/jebe1249) ^[2]

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